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**FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:**

**JASPER MAN SENTENCED FOR ATTEMPTING TO  
PURCHASE AND POSSESSING SEXUALLY EXPLICIT  
MATERIAL INVOLVING MINORS**

**PRESS RELEASE**

Susan W. Brooks, United States Attorney for the Southern District of Indiana, announced that ROGER DEICH, 36, of Jasper, Indiana, was sentenced to 27 months imprisonment today by U.S. District Judge Richard L. Young following his guilty plea to attempted receipt of sexually explicit material involving minors and possession of sexually explicit material involving minors. This case was the result of a investigation by the U.S. Postal Inspection Service.

DEICH plead guilty to the offenses on March 31, 2004. According to facts presented in court during the guilty plea hearing, DEICH attempted to purchase a video tape of minors engaged in sex acts over the internet from an undercover agent working for the U.S. Postal

Inspection Service. DEICH mailed a payment for the video tape using the U.S. mail. On December 4, 2004, agents delivered a video tape to DEICH at his Jasper, Indiana, residence. Agents seized DEICH's computer at that time and a search of the computer resulted in the discovery of sexually explicit images involving minors saved on the computer.

According to Assistant United States Attorney Todd S. Shellenbarger, who prosecuted the case for the government, Judge Young also imposed 2 years supervised release following DEICH's release from imprisonment. During the period of supervised release, DEICH must not use a computer and must register as a sex offender.

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